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## Do You Use Our Soap?

WE WILL HOLD A SPECIAL SOAP SALE ON

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And will offer a list of ten popular toilet and medicinal soaps at BARGAIN SALE PRICES.

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## Shur-On Eye-glasses

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Boston Building—Fort St.

Shur-On Eye-glasses

## DRESSMAKING

Johnson House,  
Private Cottage.

MRS. J. A. RODANET  
Punchbowl near King Street.

## GOOD OLD JOE.

Speaker Cannon speaks in terms of highest respect of the House of Representatives. The expressions from the other side have been sufficient to show that the esteem is quite mutual.

## IN THE HOUSE

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A bill appropriating \$20,000 to provide a hospital at Lahaina was introduced by Representative Pail and passed first reading.

## COUNTY REVENUE.

Senate Bill No. 17, amending Act 93, Session Laws of 1905, provides that 50 per cent of the total amount of poll and school taxes and taxes on property and incomes collected in each County be returned by the Territory to the County Treasurer. Representative Nallima offered an amendment to the bill to increase the percentage to 75. Mr. Rice explained that the County revenues had been taken care of by several previous bills and that such an amendment had little chance of passing the Senate. Whereupon Mr. Nallima withdrew his amendment and the bill, on the motion of Mr. Rice, passed third reading.

## THE AGE OF CONSENT.

Senate Bill No. 32 provides a maximum penalty for the crime of intercourse with a female under the age of 14 of not more than 5 years imprisonment. An amendment was offered by Representative Kalelopu providing a minimum penalty of one year. Mr. Mahoe thought the old law better than the new, unless the latter was amended as suggested by Mr. Kalelopu. Mr. Rawlins, in an appeal for justice to persons accused of this crime, cited cases in which there had been deception as to age on the part of the complainant; he thought that in these cases a very moderate punishment sufficed. He did not, therefore, favor a rigid minimum penalty; the circuit judges, he said, could be relied on to do their duty and the disposal of such cases ought to be left to their discretion. Mr. Correa stated that he had previously introduced a bill dealing with the crime under discussion which he wished to withdraw in favor of the present one. The bill as amended by Representative Kalelopu finally passed third reading.

Senate Bill No. 33, amending Section 2944, Revised Laws, relating to punishment for the crime of burglary, passed third reading.

House Bill No. 18, amending Section 1, Act 84, Session Laws of 1905, relating to attachments, passed third reading.

## STREET SPRINKLING.

House Bill No. 24, requiring street railway companies to sprinkle portions of streets, came up for third reading. Mr. Kanoho asked if the Rapid Transit Co. had consented to the passage of the bill. Mr. Cony, chairman of the Committee on Health, replied that the company had not been consulted. Mr. Kanoho stated that the measure infringed on the rights of private concerns; that it seemed to place the railway company under the control of the Department of Public Works. Representative Hughes said that the Superintendent of this department already had too much power; that he could shut down the County if he so desired. Mr. Sheldon, the father of the bill, said that street car companies ought to sprinkle the streets because they made their profits from them; the object of the bill, he explained, is the protection of property holders from the dust caused by the passing of cars. Mr. Kalana pointed out that the proposed law was defective in that no penalty was provided. The bill, however, passed without amendment.

House Bill No. 34, amending Sections 1122, 1123 and 1126, Revised Laws, relating to lepers and leper hospitals, passed second reading.

## THE PRACTICE ACT.

House Bill No. 16, introduced by Mr. Silva and aimed at practicing of the Attorney General's office in outside cases, again caused the House to "sit up."

Mr. Rawlins moved that the bill be recommitted to the Judiciary Committee. He condemned the action of those affected by the bill, who, he said, rushed into print with statements of their side of the case, instead of appearing before the committee.

Mr. Kanoho opposed the motion to reconsider as lowering the dignity of both the House and the proposer of the bill. He said that it was beginning to appear that the legislature was being run from the outside, intimating that the Judiciary Committee had been so influenced. This brought Mr. Rawlins to his feet. That gentleman made a warm denial that he had been influenced by any consideration other than a desire on the part of the committee to amend the bill. Mr. Kanoho answered that a bill could be amended at any time after its passage, and moved that immediate action be taken on the bill as reported by the Judiciary Committee, again referring to "outside influence." Mr. Rawlins, now thoroughly heated, said that it was evident that the interpreter could not make his (Mr. Rawlins') statements clear to Mr. Kanoho; he appealed to the Speaker to explain his position to Mr. Kanoho. Speaker Holstein accordingly, in a short talk to Mr. Kanoho, poured oil on the troubled waters and harmony was restored. The bill was recommitted to the Judiciary Committee.

## TELEPHONE CLAIMS.

A petition was received from the Mutual Telephone Co. asking that an appropriation of \$280 be made in satisfaction of certain claims against the Territory for the use of instruments. Referred to Committee on Accounts.

The House at 12:15 too a recess until 2 p. m.

## WORE POLICE BADGE.

Fukushima is under arrest for impersonating an officer. Armed with a much inscribed octagon tin badge he has been bluffing (twice) and, incidentally, making use of a skeleton key. Chief Taylor considers him a catch who may be responsible for several robberies. Not crowned at the kamaaina. St. Clair Bidgood, Manager.

## IN THE SENATE

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tention to introduce a liquor bill. Rules were suspended and the bill passed first reading.

Under order of the day came third reading of Senate bill No. 23, relating to appeals from court of Land Registration.

On motion of Senator Smith the bill passed third reading.

Senate Bill No. 35, relating to streets and highways, authority to construct being vested in the counties, passed third reading.

CHILLINGWORTH'S BILL PASSES.

Senate Bill No. 40, relating to indemnity to children, passed third reading.

House Bill No. 17, relating to indemnity bonds, passed third reading.

House Bill No. 22, relating to publications of election proclamations, passed third reading.

House Bill No. 27, relating to the sale of salmon was, on second reading, referred to Miscellaneous Committee.

House Bill No. 25, relating to income taxes, on second reading and was referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

House Bill No. 60, relating to butchers, was referred to Miscellaneous Committee on second reading.

Senate Bill No. 46, relating to witness fees, went to Judiciary Committee on second reading.

TAX EXEMPTIONS.

Senate Bill No. 44, relating to the exemption from taxes of land used in certain industries, was called on order of the day. Committee had reported adversely to the bill.

Senator Hewitt moved that the bill pass and said he was willing to strike out the word pineapples.

Senator Smith favored the bill. Senator Dowsett opposed. Motion to adopt the report failed and Senator John C. Lane moved referred the bill to Public Lands Committee. This failed to pass. Senator Hayselden wanted the bill amended so that the lands "actually" used would be exempt.

Senator Chillingworth opposed the measure for the reason that it is class legislation. Senator Smith spoke earnestly on the advisability of encouraging the small farming industries. He hoped more California companies would come here and start canneries in every district.

Senator Coelho said the people at Ewa are the ones who have abused the privilege.

Senator Hayselden's amendment carried and Senator Dowsett further amended to strike pineapples from the bill. This amendment failed and the bill passed second reading.

The Senate then took a recess until 2 p. m.

## HAWAII'S INVITATION

Washington, February 22, 1907.

EDITOR STAR: The prompt action of the Legislature in authorizing an invitation to members of Congress is highly commendable, and will undoubtedly lead to important and far-reaching results for Hawaii.

I had already sounded certain members and know that the general plan would prove acceptable. The personal invitations so far made have been well received, and I have reason to believe that we shall secure acceptances from a representative group of Congressmen who are active both in Hawaiian and general legislation.

The invitations now being given, will include members of the following committees: Territories; Ways and Means; Appropriations; Public Buildings; Rivers and Harbors; Inter-State Commerce; Naval Affairs; Judiciary; Merchant Marine; Immigration; Military Affairs.

We have been able to bring considerable pressure to bear on the house conferees on the army bill, to have the transport privilege amendment of the Senate accepted, and there is strong reason to hope that this will be done. This will materially reduce the cost of ocean transportation for the visiting party though it is likely that there will not be transport space for all, and some may have to come by steamer.

Through constant and concerted work with the House conferees, on the Light house bill, we have at last succeeded in having a light house tender provided for Hawaii at a cost of \$215,000; this with the Molokai light gives us a total of \$275,000 in that bill, which is proportionately far in excess of the amount given to any state.

This gratifying result is the more unusual, because it necessitated the striking out of the tender provided for California in the same bill. The aid of Col. Hepburn was of course invaluable in securing this agreement by the House conferees.

Tomorrow we have a hearing before the Appropriations committee to endeavor to have the sum due the Territory for lighthouse maintenance added to the general deficiency bill, inasmuch as no more claim bills will be passed by this present Congress.

A final effort will be made to gain the Speaker's consent to permit the Refund bill to come up in the House for a vote; but in view of his known hostility to the measure and the further fact that Hawaii is being given more than a million dollars by this present session of Congress, it seems rather unlikely that he will give the measure the parliamentary aid which will now be required to get it before the House.

The Immigration bill just passed is of course of the greatest importance to Hawaii.

There is an undoubted feeling on all sides that the unprecedented action taken is somewhat in the nature of a tentative arrangement; but it is hoped that the results as they affect Hawaii, may be continued in future legislation on this subject.

Very truly yours,

J. KALANIANA'OLE.

Delegate to Congress.

CHINA FROM COAST  
AND SAILS TODAY

THIRTY HONOLULU PASSENGERS.  
368 BAGS MAIL FOR THIS STATION—LEAVES AT 5 P. M.

Five days and 18 hours from San Francisco, the P. M. S. S. China, Captain Friele, arrived off port early this morning, docking at the channel wharf in a light shower at 5 o'clock. She brought about thirty cabin passengers for Honolulu and carries over forty through to Oriental ports. Comparatively pleasant weather was enjoyed all the way down. The China brings no freight for Honolulu. She carries 1,800 tons through. She will take here about 12 Japanese steerage for their home land.

Cabin passengers from Honolulu to the Orient includes Rev. and Mrs. E. Increase Bosworth and party, the Rev. E. I. Bosworth being the noted Dean of Oberlin college who has so well uplifted his hearers here at Central Union in the last few days.

The China brings 368 bags of mail to be left at this port, some of which is for the Colonies, to be transferred to the next Canadian-Australian boat going south. She sails at 5 o'clock this afternoon for Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Hongkong and Manila.

Among the Honolulu passengers are the following: E. Farmer, customs inspector who has been to the mainland on a two months' vacation; Mrs. George D. Gear, returning home from a visit to the coast; A. Hocking of the Honolulu Brewing and Malting Company who has been to the mainland on business; Mrs. J. Lucas, returning home from a visit to the states; and James L. McLean.

Captain J. A. Dougherty U. S. N., is a naval attaché at Tokio. He is going through.

Mrs. L. H. Knapp, Miss Alice Meigs and Miss F. Waterbury are bound for Yokohama, tourists. They were met by Secretary of the Territory A. L. C. Atkinson.

The China sighted the S. S. Nippon Maru and no other vessels during her trip down.

## DAILY STOCK REPORT

Between Boards: 105 Ewa, \$25.25; 145 Ewa, \$25.375.

Session Stocks: 41 Ewa, \$25.25.

Stock. Bid. Asked.

C. Brewer & Co. \$375.00

Ewa Plan Co. 25.50 25.625

Hawaiian Agri. 130.00

Haw. Com. Co. 85.00

Hawaiian Sugar 35.00

Honokaa Sugar Co. 12.50 12.75

Kahuku Plan Co. 27.00

Kihel Plan Co. 7.875 8.25

McBryde Sugar Co. 4.75 5.00

Oahu Sugar Co. 24.75 24.00

Onohee Sugar Co. 36.125

Oakala 8.00 8.25

Olan Sugar Co. 3.00

Olowalu 100.00

Pala 175.00

Pioneer Mill Co. 122.00 125.00

Wailuku Agri. Co. 74.25 75.50

Wailuku Sugar Co. 225.00

Waimanalo Sugar Co. 135.00

Waimanalo Sugar Co. 55.00

I. I. S. N. Co. 127.50

Hawaiian Electric 140.00

Hon. R. T. Co. pfd. 102.00

Hon. R. T. Co. 59.00

Mutual Telephone 9.00

Nahiku Rubber (pd) 100.00

Nahiku Rubber (As) 10.00

Oahu Railway 95.00

Hon. Brew. Co. 27.75

Fire Claims 48 100.00

Haw. Ter. 48 100.00

Haw. Ter. 44 100.00

Haw. Ter. 45 100.00

Haw. Ter. 3X 100.00

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Cal. Ref Co 103.50

Haiku 60 102.00

Hawaiian Sugar 68 101.00

Kahuku 60 101.00

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Beretania Street.....40.00  
Aloha Lane.....15.00  
King Street.....30.00  
Nuanu Street.....50.00  
Kinu Street.....30.00  
Beretania Street.....25.00  
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Mallock Avenue.....30.00  
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Gulick Avenue.....25.00

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Splendid seven-room house cheap; Young street, Pawan. R. Star Office.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## Notice

To Our Sympathizers and Friends: We desire to hereby announce that we have decided not to receive any contributions or endowments.

ANTI OPIUM LEAGUE, M. C. W.

Per C. K. CHOW, President.

Honolulu, March 6th, 1907.

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

SUGAR FACTORS COMPANY, LTD.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sugar Factors Company, Ltd., held in Honolulu on Monday, March 4th, 1907, the following Directors were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

C. M. Cooke,

F. A. Schaefer,

S. M. Damon,